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made, laid and lined 50 rolls Higgins' and Sanford's 8 wire Tapestry Brussels, made,	65c
laid and lined	·50c
lined	900
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Japanese Rugs in great variety. All the latest designs and colorings. Thoroughly Oriental in tone. Every piece a perfect copy of rare Turkish and Persian weave. We have them in sizes from the hearth rug up.

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The celebrated Bissell's Carpet Sweepers on sale at	\$2.40
12 and 14-foot Lace Curtain Stretchers, with easel	\$1.10
100 dozen Window Shades, mounted on spring rollers	15C
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NEW FALL AND WINTER GOODS ARRIVING DAILY.

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## Timely Warning!

Protect your health these chilly nights by wearing McFadden's Fall Weight Un-derwear. No coughs, colds or pneumonia if you buy some of these. 48c for Best Merino, Fall Weight Under-wear. wear. 48c for Camel's Hair, Fall Weight Underfor Lamb's Wool, Fall Weight Un-

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This seems a poor way to say it, but when you compare our Ladies' and Gentlemen's fine shoes, that we are seling for \$2.00 with the so-called HIGH GRADE shoes at HIGH PRICES you will find all the STYLE, FIT. COMFORT and WEAR, and the only difference you can see er will ever know is that you have a first-class shoe

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Madison Square Garden

Was not selected by McKinley to deliver his letter of acceptance, but he gave it to the press, through which the whole world will know what he stands for.

We want the world to know something, too, and we choose the same inclum McKinley does, i. e., the press,

It is this—It your sight is defective. If your syss are week and hurt when you try to read, WE CAN HELP YOU.

Our house has been selling spectacles for over a score of years. We were pretty good opticians ourselves. But lately selented has discovered so many new things about syss and spectacles, and found out so many new methods of treatment, we thought it best to engage a man who was well up in the profession and who knew more about it than we did. So we put Prof. Is, Levitt at the head of this important department. He makes no charge for consultation. Our prices are as low and even lower than before. Inscreased business permits us to fit your eyes with slasses at lower prices than any other place in the city. Cive us a trial. It costs you nothing if we can't satisfy you.

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Plucet Pleasure Resort in the Ohio summer.

Every Sunday (rain or shine) concert by
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Should it rain the concerts will be given

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Call and examine our large and hand-ome line of Foreign and Domestic Wool-ns for Overcoatings, Suitings and Panta-onnings at popular prices. We handle sclusive, noveliler, to be found nowhere

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

Natters of Minor Moment in and About

the City. Go to Mozart park to-day.

Matince at the Grand to-day.

At the Grand to-night—The Roof Garden Vaudeville Company. A large force of men is paving Mar-ket street from Tenth street up.

The repairs at the Eighth ward hose house are fast nearing completion. The brick work on the new Catholic boys' school has been commenced.

The new fire alarm striking appar-atus is being placed in the city hall tower. A sprig of golden rod in the button-hole is the latest badge worn by Re-

The North street M. E. church will give a musical and literary entertainment a musical and literary next Thursday evening.

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W. S. Pealy, of Cleveland, Ohio, representing S. R. Fell & Co., manufacturers of Paragon Tea, is in the city.

A Democratic meeting was held in the Eighth ward inst night. M. F. Dryden spoke to a fair sized crowd.

Mrs. John T. Cam, nee Miss Jennie Shearer, and daughter, Miss Helen, of Washington, D. C., who have been visiting Mrs. Richard Robertson, returned home yesterday.

The pastor, Rev. D. A. Cunningham, D. D., of the First Preabyterian church having returned from Europe, he will resume services on Sabbath at 19:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

The North End Literary and Athletic

The North End Literary and Athletic society celebrated its birthday at its club rooms at the corner of Seventh and Market streets last night, and a most enjoyable time was spent by all present. The city council committee on police met last night and recommended bills to council for payment aggregating \$50.90 in the police department and \$163.10 in the city prison department. The regular young men's meetings will be held at the Young Men's Christian Association building this evening at 8 o'clock and to-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock, to which all young men will be cordially welcomed.

The Mozart Singing society's hall in he Eighth ward is to be repaired and many extensive improvements added. The work will be commenced next week and will be finished by October 15, when the society will give a grand concert and ball as an opening feature.

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The vacation season is over and beginning with September all the active forces at the First Christian church, will be called into requisition as rapidly as possible. The pastor, W. H. Hayden, will return to occupy his pulpit to-morrow, morning and evening.

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Rev. J. L. McCutcheon, pastor of the First Baptist church, is absent from the city, but regular services will be held as usual. Mr. R. W. Jones will have charge of the morning service, and Mr. F. O. Bond will conduct the evening service. Home Sunday school will meet at 9:15 a. m.; missionary Sunday schools will meet as usual at 2:15 p. m. senools will meet as usital at 2:16 p. m.
Captain Otto, of the city council
committee on streets, alloys and
grades, City Engineer White and Mr.
Schonk, of the board of public works,
visited Baker street yesterday afternoon, to establish a grade on that thoroughfare, but after investigating they
decided to refer the matter to the
committee on streets, alleys, and
grades.

COME quick if you want to secure bargains in Men's and Boys' shoes. Shoes not damaged, only smoked a little by the lire, which occurred in adjoining room. 1143 Main street. THE C. C. SHOE CO.

## TURNED DOWN.

Chief of Police Will Not be Elected by the People if

THE CHARTER SUB-COMMITTEE

the Trades Assembly Member of the Committee, Tried to Have the Board of Public Safety Feature Stricken Out, but He was Unsuccessful-Amendments to the Charter Considered Last Night.

Last night the sub-committee of the ammittee on a new city charter, held meeting in the committee room of the city building. The members present were Chairman Hazlett and Messrs. Miller, Bodley, Paull and Lutz, The feature of the meeting was the effort made by Mr. Bodley, of the trades as sembly, to have the section of the new charter, which was being considered by sections, relating to the election of the city chief of police changed so that the chief shall be continued to be elected directly by the people, Mr. Bodley was unsupported in this position by any other member of the sub-committee and in consequence he was unsuccessful in his efforts. Until he was instruct-

ful in his efforts. Until he was instructed by the trades assembly to vote against this feature of the charter Mr. Bodley had favored the appointment of the chief of police by the board, and defended his advecacy of that measure recently at a meeting of the assembly.

At the last meeting of the sub-committee, amendments or additions to the charter as then read by Mr. Erskine, were proposed. These additions were read and formally adopted at last night's meeting, it was suggested that the city solicitor be given power to institute suit on behalf of the people against the city authorities in the event of the latter passing legislation in violation of powers granted by charter or ordinance. The matter was passed over, however, without action. In the course of the discussion it was brought out that Ohio solicitors are given this power by a general law. The recent troubles in Martin's Ferry were referred to and that seemed to be a pretty good argument against the adoption of such a provision in the new Wheeling charter. provision in the new Wheeling char

er. Meetings of council are to be held

Meetings of council are to be held monthly, but when a press of business makes it necessary meetings can be held bi-monthly.

The bond of the assessor was placed at \$3,000 and his salary will be fixed by council between \$900 and \$1,200 an unally. Mr. Pauli was of the opinion that \$1,000 to \$1,500 would be better and Dr. Hazlett suggested \$1,000 to \$1,600-16 to 1.

The sections relating to the board of control were passed without much discussion and no amendments. The clerk of the board of control is to be appointed by the board and council can approve or reject the appointment.

The section relating to the board of public safety was then read. It fixes the membership of the board at three, selected for a term of two years, their salaries to be fixed by council; the board to have control of the police, fire and health departments.

Mr. Bodley—I move that the sections as to the board of public safety be stricken out.

This was a bombshell in the committee's camp, particularly as Mr. Bodley had been in favor of the board of control plan quite recently. His instructions from the trades assembly, however, left him no other line of action than to oppose what he had before favored.

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Dr. Hazlett—If we were to observe precedent was the property of the people of the people of the people.

Dr. Hazlett—If we were to observe precedent was had a trying experience on one or two occasions with chiefs of police, which he said it was not necessary to particularize. Three or four had been compelled to resign for their improper conduct in administering the affairs of the department. As at present legislated for the responsibility of the chief of police is nil, said the doctor. The people elect him and he is responsible to the people of the department of public safety. Then the chief of police, as well as the chief of the fre department and the health officer, would be responsible to the board. By this plan the chief could be suspended or removed at any time and the affairs of the city held much more securely. By the plan now in force it is well known how the office of the chief of police is conducted, how the chief of police is conducted in the means by which he is elected. The new plan would institute a reform where reform is needed.

Mr. Bodley again presented his only argument—precedent.

Dr. Hazlett—If we were to observe precedent we would want no new charter.

Mr. Bodley-The only question is, is Mr. Hodicy—the only question is, is this plan to improve matters? Mr. Lutz—How can we control the police department when the chief is elected by a direct vote. Mr. Bodley—Just as we have always

Mr. Paull—He has never been con-trolled.

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In the discussion that followed Mr. Bodley claimed that an inefficient chief of police can be made to resign.

The Sunday saloon was discussed in this connection and Mr. Bodley said many good people favored a half-open saloon on the first day of the week.

Mr. Paull said he knew of several saloonlsts who would gladly close on Sunday, but did not because their neighboring competitors were open.

The motion to strike out the section referring to the board of public safety, was then put to a vote and resulted as follows:

Aye—Bodley.

NO—Lattz. Paull, Hazlett.

Mr. Bodley then moved that the chief of police be elected by a vote of the people direct.

Mr. Paull—Show me an argument for that, outside of precedent and I will

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vote for it.

Mr. Miller claimed that with a board

When the state of the state legislature, most of whom are from the state legislature, will be countried and the state legislature. The discussion will be conforced in any event, he claimed.

In opposition to the colonel's stand, Dr. Hazlett called attention to the conforcement, in New York city, of the Raines law, which has been the means of closing all the saloons of the metropolis on the Sabbath.

Mr. Miller—How was it done?

Dr. Hazlett—By Roosevelt,

The discussion then verged to the mode of governing New York city, it being stated that the laws are made by committees of the state legislature, most of whom are from the country districts.

bargains in Men's and Boys' shoes. Shoes not damaged, only smoked a little by the lire, which occurred in adjoining room, 1143 Main street. THE C. C. SHOE CO.

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most of whom are from the country districts.

Mir. Erskine said it was true that in New York the municipality is some year of the permitted in Several times governed from the state legislature, but here in West Virginia we have have home rule without exception. Proceeding, he called attention to the pure government of municipalities in Great Britain and continental Europe as compared with cities in the United States, and ascribed as the cause the hold the politoral bosses have here. The hold the politoral bosses have here are the hold the politoral bosses have here. The hold the politoral bosses have here the hold the politoral bosses have here

to prevent the re-election of the man who punishes him. He thus becomes an enginery for evil with no opposing force in the cause of good government. Where we see the laws well udministered the officers who enforce them are appointed. There is then no temptation for them to be easy here and hard there.

Mr. Miller claimed that under the rule of many boards there is more corruption than when the officers of city governments are elected by the people. The boards become political rings and by patronage make themselves so powerful that they control the politics of the community.

The Bodley motion that the chief of police be elected by the people direct was then put and lost, as follows:

Aye—Bodley.

Ne—Hazlett, Lutz, Pauli.

The committee transacted other, but unimportant business and adjourned at 9.30 p. m.

THE NEW WATER MAIN To the Island is Being Laid Across the River in the North End.

Yesterday morning the contractor, L. G. Hallock, began the work of laying he new water main that will give the Island a better water service. The pipe was being hauled from the Pennsylvania freight station during the morning and will be laid across the river as fast as possible so as to take advantage of the present extreme low stage of water in the river. The new main will cross the river in the upper part of the city, leaving the city side at the foot of Alley 4, above Eighth street, and reaching the Island shore at the foot of Alley 35, thence crossing North Front street to North York to a connection with the system of mains on the Island. The pipe is very large, fourteen inches in diameter. The present line crosses the river at the foot of Eleventh street and is only eight inches in diameter. This line was built twenty years ago. The growth of population in recent years has made a new line necessary. The contractor expects to complete the work in a very short time. was being hauled from the Pennsylva-

#### PLENTY OF BOYS AND MEN

Want Engagements with the "Last Days of Pompeli"-Scenery Arriving.

In answer to an advertisement for nen, women and boys to take part in he "Last Days of Pompell" next week, the "Last Days of Pompen" next week, about 200 crowded around the street railway office on Main street last night and made things in that vicinity rather lively. Mr. Wright had no trouble in getting all the men and boys he needed, but there is still room for a few A car load of the frame work for the

production arrived yeaterday and was hauled to the grounds and will be set in position to-day. The company and scenery will arrive from Pittsburgh to-

#### THE RIVER.

YESTERDAY'S DEPARTURES. Parkersburg, ARGAND, 11 a. m. Clarington...JEWEL, 5:30 p. m.

BOATS LEAVING TO-DAY,
Parkersburg J. C. HOPKINS, 11 a. m.
Clarington....FAIR PLAY, \$350 p. m. BOATS LEAVING MONDAY. Parkersburg.ARGAND, 11 a. m. Clarington...FAIR PLAY, 3:30 p. m.

Along the Landing. The marks at 6 p. m. showed 2 feet 4 nehes and slowly falling. Weather lear and warm.

On account of low water the Sun-

lay excursions of the Jewel to Sisters-ille and return have been discounted. The Jewel was delayed in getting away for Clarington yesterday on account of getting stuck at Capteen on the trip up in the morning. A line was bent to a tree on the bank and the steamer was warped off after a short

delay.

The H. K. Bedford will probably enter one of the White Collar line trades on the lower river. General Manager Laidley told Captain Green he would give the Bedford the first opening caused by low water and the consequent retirement of his regular packets. Last season the Bedford did well in the Cincinnati and Maysville trade.

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Captain "Ev" Thomas went down to
Catlettsburg, Kentucky, and secured
the low water packet Fair Play, to
run in the place of the Jewel in the
Wheeling and Clarington trade during
the low water. The packet was taken
to Clarington where she is now. This
morning she and the Jewel will come
up to Wheeling, and the former will
enter the Clarington trade, while the
Jewel is engaged in connection with
the Charleston in carrying people from
the clay to the state fair grounds next
week.

Yesterday there was quite a discuss-ion on the river front as to the respec-tive merits, in speed, of the two Big Sandy beats, J. C. Hopkins, now run-ning in the Liberty's trade, and the Fair Play, about to supercede the Jew-Fair Play, about to supercede the Jewel between Clarington and Wheeling,
Captain Crockard inclined to the belief
that the Hopkins, which can make
seven miles an hour up stream, is the
faster boat, but Captain "Ev" Thomas
asserts that the Fair Play can go eight
miles while the Hopkins goes seven,
it would be interesting if the two little
fellows could be brother for a
trial of speed.

River Telegrams

OIL CITY-River 5 inches and sta-tionary, Clear and pleasant, WARREN-River ,1 foot, Clear and pleasant. GREENSBORO-River 6 feet 6 inches and stationary; rainfall .15; fair and pleasant.
PITTSBURGH—River 2.3 feet and stationary at the dam. Clear and pleas-ant.

#### The Ladles.

The Indies.

The plensant effect and perfect safety with which ladies may use Syrup of Figs, under all conditions, makes it their favorite remedy. To get the true and genuine article, look for the name of the California Fig Syrup Company printed near the bottom of the package. For sale by all responsible druggists.

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Good Used Piano \$285.

Some time ago we sold a fine Upright Krakaper Plano in an ebonized case, to a prominent resident of this city, who, owing to the loss of his position, is compelled to part with the instrument. In order to sell it at once, we offer it for \$285 on payments of \$25 cash and \$10 per month, or \$265 cash. The plano is in perfect condition, having been very carefully used and shows no sign of wear. It can be seen at our store, 1310 Market street.

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## Boys' School Suits

AND THOSE CELEBRATED

Mrs. Hopkins' Boys' Knee Pants.

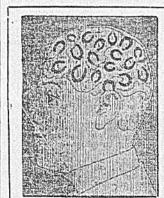
With double seat, double knee, patent waist bands, nevercome off buttons, and that never rip-we've hundreds of them at prices that you cannot afford to patch up the old ones. Shall we fit that boy of yours?

# THE BUB Clothiers, Hatters and Furnishers.

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The Largest and Only Strictly One-Price House in the State.

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Brain.

After wearing clothing with the Horse-shoe and the words "Equal to custom made," you will think

of no other. These goods are manufactured of the best materials and made up by custom tailors. We have exclusive sale of them for this market.



### AER'S Clothing House, 30 TWELFTH STREET.

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Oak, Rattan, Mahogany finished and Curly Birch Rocking Chairs, made in Cobbler Leather, Upholstered and Cane Seats. Goods that sold at \$4.50 to \$6.00, are now being closed out at

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Also a large and elegat stock of Dining Room, Bed Room and Parlor Furniture now being sold regardless of cost. Come at once and secure a good selection.

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Assignee of Alox. Frow, 1117 Main Street